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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Alexander BEECK et al.

Application No.: 10/611,944

Filing Date: 3 July 2003

For: Gap Seal for Sealing a Gap Between Two  
Adjacent Components

Art Unit: 3676

Examiner: Patel, Vishal A.

Attorney Ref. No.: 003-060

☒ Via Facsimile to: 703.872.9306PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

## Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for response to the Office Action dated 16 November 2004, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply, the number of month(s) indicated below, to 16 May 2005.

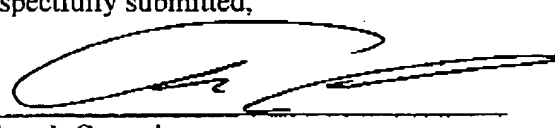
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The period for response has previously been extended to \_\_\_\_\_. For the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) identified above for this Petition,

- ☐ please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2821.  
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